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## PRICES ARE SOME BETTER

Sales at The Three Warehouses Show That The Prices Are Better Than Last Week.

The sales at the loose leaf tobacco warehouses this week show that the market is considerably better than last week. Growers are much better satisfied with the prices being received and while quite an amount of tobacco is being hauled to other markets, it is thought that after selling on other markets that the farmers will realize that this market is just as good as any in the state when the quality of the tobacco offered is considered. At the White-hall Monday, 197,515 pounds sold for an average of \$29.59 and this was only a very medium floor of tobacco. The Robertson house sold 88,000 pounds this morning but were unable to give us the average at the time of our going to press, but estimated that it would average around \$30.00. The Farmers house had a sale in progress as we go to press so no figures were obtainable, however, from the prices we noticed on a number of cards a splendid average will be received.

### DIES AT PINEVILLE

Relatives and friends here were grieved to learn that Mr. Ray Patterson had died at his home in Pineville Sunday. While his death came as a shock to his friends, it was not wholly unexpected as he had been ill for several months. A man with an exceedingly bright mind, a winning personality and affable disposition he was popular with all who knew him. He was engaged in business in Winchester for a number of years but has been located in Pineville for some time. He is survived by his wife and one son, three brothers, Messrs. Ford, of Owingsville, N. Reid of Pineville and Clark B. Patterson, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Mary McCarthy, of Los Angeles, Cal. Funeral services were conducted at Owingsville this afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock with burial in that place. The Advocate tenders sympathy to the bereaved family.

### CERTAINLY DID HURRY

A large touring car belonging to Hancock & McCarty caught on fire on Main Street just opposite the residence of Dr. P. K. McKenna last Wednesday afternoon. A hurry call was sent to the fire department but the fire burned merrily on, and another call was made on the fire department and finally the driver of the car went to the engine house to personally conduct the driver and wagon to the fire, but in the meantime bystanders secured a couple of chemical extinguishers and put out the fire. Quite a crowd collected and many comments were made about how quickly the fire wagon made the run of 150 yards.

### GOES TO BIRMINGHAM

Mr. Howell Hunt, of this city, who has been stationed at the Great Lakes training school for several months, had the misfortune to let a heavy weight of some kind drop on his left foot several days ago and while the injury was painful it was not thought to be serious. However, his mother was notified yesterday that blood poisoning had developed and it was thought it would be necessary to remove at least three of his toes. His sister, Miss Anise Hunt, left immediately to be present when the operation was performed. Many friends of this splendid young man hope for his speedy recovery.

### DIES AT NICHOLASVILLE

Mr. William H. Clark, aged 36 years, died at his home at Nicholasville last Friday of pneumonia, following an attack of flu. Deceased is survived by his wife and seven children, his mother, Mrs. Cordie Clark, and one sister, Mrs. W. E. Jones, of this city.

Mr. Clark lived here for many years and was highly respected by all who knew him and he has many friends in this, his old home, who will learn with sincere regret of his death. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Jones attended the funeral which was held in Nicholasville Sunday.

### BUYS BUILDING LOT

Mr. M. O. Cockrell has purchased of Mr. Nelson H. Trimble a building lot on Maysville street adjoining the property of Mr. Trimble and Mr. J. C. McNeal. Price \$2500. It is reported that Mr. Cockrell will erect a handsome residence on the lot some time this Spring.

Read The Advocate and get it first.

### SELLS NICE PROPERTY

Mr. W. T. Fitzpatrick, Jr., has sold the house he recently completed on the corner of Samuels avenue and High Street to Mr. R. D. Wells of the county, who will move to same to reside. Price private but said to have been in the neighborhood of \$6250.00. It is a modern home in every particular.

The Advocate for printing

## THEATRE TICKETS FREE TO ADVOCATE READERS

**Splendid Opportunity Given Our "Classified Ad"**  
**Readers to see the Show at the Tabb Theatre**  
**Absolutely Free.**

Ever mindful of its patrons, the sending this feature to its readers Mt. Sterling Advocate has decided is to create interest in the classified part of the Reynolds building. He offered a new and unique feature for their entertainment. Each week for some time to come, several of our readers will be extended an invitation through the classified columns to call at the box office of the Tabb Theater and receive a free ticket to the show with the compliments of the Advocate and the management of the Theater. The names of the lucky persons will be selected at random from the population of this vicinity.

The only requirement the Advocate makes is that persons receiving the invitations shall cut out the printed notice from the classified columns and present the same at the box office of the Tabb Theater on the day designated therein. The invitations will be worded something similar to the following and will be found scattered through the classified columns:

"Wanted—By presenting this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theater tomorrow (Jan. 15th) Mr. I. M. Wright will receive a free ticket to the show with the compliments of the Advocate and the Management of the theater."

The object of the Advocate in pre-

### NEWS FROM PANGBURN

Relatives here had been unable to secure any information regarding William B. Pangburn, member of the U. S. Marines, for several months although they had written the department several times. Judge Earl W. Seiff took the matter up with Senator J. C. W. Beckham who immediately got in touch with the Major General Commandant and who reported that young Pangburn had been wounded in action on October 4th, and had been transferred to replacement battalion and also stated that further information regarding his condition would be forwarded just as soon as same could be secured. Many friends are hopeful that his wound was only slight and that he is now on the road to recovery.

### MOSS-JONES

Mr. Oscar Moss and Mrs. Mary Dean Jones were united in marriage last Thursday at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. J. L. West, at his home on Samuels avenue, in this city. The ceremony was witnessed by only a few friends and relatives. After the ceremony the couple left at once for a brief bridal trip and upon their return will make their home at the residence of the groom on Camargo pike. Mr. Moss is one of this county's most popular and prominent farmers, while his bride who is a daughter of Squire C. L. Dean, is very attractive and highly esteemed young woman. Both of the contracting parties are very prominent and popular and have a host of friends who will join us in extending hearty congratulations.

### MARRIES IN FAR WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Price Calk last week received the news that their son, Mr. James Calk, of Snaky Butte, Montana, and Miss Emma Lee Huff, of Des Moines, Iowa, had been married at Aberdeen, South Dakota.

Mr. Calk located in Montana several years ago and has prospered and the news of his marriage will be received here at his old home with much interest by a large circle of relatives and friends.

### CELEBRATE 50th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoffman on Monday celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary and the occasion was indeed a most happy one. In talking to the writer Mr. Hoffman said that he had remembered when practically every business house in Mt. Sterling was built with the exception of the Julian building and part of the Reynolds building. He said that there was not a single classified columns of the daily papers is one of the most widely read departments and business dealings was the only business that had remained in the building that it started often done with the investment of a few cents in these columns. While only a few country papers have as yet introduced this department, The Advocate believes it is making a progressive move when it located on North Maysville street, which is about five minutes Columns for they will fill a long felt walk from the Court House, he want in this vicinity.

Mr. W. C. Potts, of Grand Rapids, Mich., an advertising specialist, has been pleased to call and explain its advantages to anyone interested. It will be well for every resident of this section to scan the Classified Columns closely each week, as there will be no end of favoritism shown and there is no telling who will be the lucky persons to receive the free tickets to the Tabb Theater.

Look through the classified columns today and see if your name appears. If it does, it will give you an opportunity to see a good show free.

### SAILOR BOY MARRIES

Mr. William P. Randal, Gunner Mate on one of Uncle Sam's battle ships and a son of Mrs. Sophia Randal, of this city, and Miss Mary A. Junkin, of Covington, Ky., were married at Christ's Church Cathedral at Lexington last Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock, Bishop Lewis W. Burton officiating.

Miss Lucy Randal, Mr. M. A. King and Mr. Frank B. Wyatt accompanied the young people to Lexington and witnessed the ceremony. After a short bridal trip Mr. Randal will return to the Navy and his wife will return to the home of her father, Mr. Otto Junkin until Mr. Randal is released from the service.

Mr. Randal, who was born and reared here, is known to practically every one in the city, his genial good nature, ready wit and affable manner has made him popular with a wide circle of friends. His bride is a most attractive girl, possessing those admirable traits of character that make the perfect wife and helpmate. She has visited Miss Lucy Randal here several times and all who have met her have been charmed with her sweet disposition and attractive personality.

The Advocate joins friends in extending best wishes for a long, happy and prosperous life.

### ENTERTAINS

Mrs. A. D. Prewitt entertained with a delightful six o'clock dinner Friday evening, January 10, in honor of her father's 51st birthday. There were about twenty-five persons present, and every one enjoyed the evening immensely.

### DANCE AT PARIS

The Amuse Dancing Club, of Paris, will give a dance at the Masonic Temple in that city Monday evening January 20th. Smith's Orchestra will furnish the music and a number of young people from this city will attend.

Money breaks into society—and society breaks into the Ten Commandments.

Towns suffer where folks go on tiptoe for fear of walking prosperity.

## ASSESSMENT SHOWS INCREASE

Recapitulation Made by County Clerk Keller Greene Is Now Completed.

County Court Clerk Keller Greene and his deputy, L. R. Douglas, have completed and sent to the Board at Frankfort the recapitulation of the tax books of Montgomery County. The total assessment is \$13,416,199.00, which is about two and one-half million dollars more than the total assessment last year. Just what action will be taken by the state authorities is not known but no raise is expected, in view of the fact that we show a substantial increase over last year.

The assessment is made up as follows:

119,257 acres of land assessed at \$7,204,675.00

1250 town lots assessed at 1,992,575.00. Live stock at \$1,472,415.00 and Intangible property (money, notes, etc.,) \$1,590,505.00. There are 373 automobiles listed at \$138,035.00 and 1155 dogs assessed.

### FIRE DOES MUCH DAMAGE

Winchester suffered severe loss Sunday night when Shropshire's Garage was burned and the business house of Scrivener Brothers was badly damaged. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

### HUN HELMETS PRIZES IN NEXT LOAN DRIVE

Eight thousand German helmets captured by Gen. Pershing's troops—some new, taken from stores behind the enemy lines, and some battered relics of the battlefield—have been ordered by Frank R. Wilson, director of Liberty Loan publicity, for distribution in the Fifth Liberty Loan campaign. The helmets will be allotted to the Federal reserve district headquarters on the basis of their respective subscription quotas and will be used as prizes for campaign achievements under rules to be formulated by the district managers.

### HOLD CONSUL

Bolsheviks make it a practice to make it uncomfortable for those who represent constituted authority. For that reason, Roger Culver Treadwell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., the American consul at Petrograd, was made a virtual prisoner in his rooms somewhere in Turkestan. The State Department has been making every effort to secure his release.

The modern girl's idea of life—to marry riches, and live for love.

The Advocate for Printing.

## The ROGERS Co's.

Incorporated

### OLD TIME CUT

### PRICE SALE

#### NOW GOING ON

High-class ready-to-wear garments for Ladies at greatly reduced prices. You can't afford to miss this sale.

Bargains—Bargains—Bargains



**Columbia  
Victrola  
Edison**  
Complete Stock of  
Records

Bryan & Robinson  
Jewelers

# PUBLIC SALE OF MODERN CITY RESIDENCE

I will sell to the highest bidder at the Court House door in this city, on

Monday, Court Day, January 20th, 1919  
at 1 o'clock p. m.

my Modern Residence located on Johnson Heights, in Mt. Sterling, Ky. Same contains 8 rooms and 2 halls bath room, sleeping porch, good cistern. Also new servant's quarters. Also has good cellar. The house is practically new in every way, newly papered and painted. Electric lights and gas.

Is modern in every way and most convenient. Will make a model home for the purchaser.

Will show the house to any one interested before day of sale. Keys will be left with Mr. Walter Gilvin, next door, at the old Johnson place. Will be shown by engagement if you will phone me at 638 J-2.

**W. W. EUBANK, Sr.**

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all the world that the Griggs Motor Car Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Kentucky, and having its place of business at Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, is closing its business and winding up its affairs.

All persons owing said corporation are hereby notified that they must promptly pay what they owe; and all persons having claims against said corporation will promptly present them for payment.

The business heretofore conducted by said corporation will be conducted by L. E. Griggs.

GRIGGS MOTOR CAR CO.,  
Per L. E. Griggs, President  
Robert H. Wign, Attorney. 27-41

A love affair can end two ways: In one the letters and pictures are burned. In the other the letters and pictures are forgot.

## Lard Presses Sausage Mills Lard Cans Hog Scrapers

AND A COMPLETE STOCK OF

Hand Made

## BUTCHER KNIVES

Each and Everyone Guaranteed  
to be Good.

**Chenault & O'rear**

## We Clean Every Day

Except Saturday

Hurry Work Our Specialty. Try Our Service  
PHONE 225

Stockton's Electric Dry Cleaning Company  
E. W. STOCKTON, Proprietor

## WANT AN AUTOMOBILE?

We are agents for Willys-Knight, Overland and Chevrolet which are among the best cars on the market. Come in and let us talk the matter over with you. We are prepared to do all kinds of repair work and have an expert in charge of this department.

**GRIGGS MOTOR CAR CO.**

TELEPHONE 115

## ANDES GREAT OIL

Gives Relief to Any Pain in Three to Five Minutes

Andes Great Oil is the most powerful penetrating medicine now on the market. It gives prompt and immediate relief for any pain.

It is guaranteed to remove all swelling caused from rheumatism, stiffness, soreness, sciatic pain, lumbago, pains in the small of the back or sides, sore throat, pains in chest or under shoulder blades, pleurisy, sprains or strains.

When applied according to directions, headache, toothache, or neuralgia will disappear as if by magic. One application will convince you that it is a wonderful remedy.

Used internally to give quick and prompt relief for diarrhoea, cramps, flux, cholera morbus and dysentery.

No medicine chest is complete without a bottle of Andes Oil. It is a little doctor and worth its weight in gold.

Andes Oil is made of the finest essential oils and conceded by chemists as the greatest pain medicine ever manufactured. Your money back if it fails. 50¢ per bottle. Sold in Mt. Sterling by R. H. White & Co. and in Owingsville by Kimbrough Drug Store. 27-5

## WIPE OUT ILLITERACY

In a report on Christmas Day, it was stated by the Inspector and Examiner that in his examination of the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission, he found more than 100,000 illiterates had been taught during the past five years, leaving about 100,000 to be taught before 1920.

The aim set by Kentucky to wipe out illiteracy before the 1920 census is taken must be accomplished. While it may mean a gigantic task to teach 100,000 in one year to read and write it will, in fact, be easier than it was in the pioneer stages of the movement to teach the first 100,000. Public sentiment is now solidly behind the movement, better methods of teaching adults have been worked up, and the fact that 1920 is near and Kentucky's rank will then be fixed for another decade affords powerful stimulus.

If 10,000 teachers would each take ten the task would soon be done. Many teachers in Kentucky have taught twice or three times that many during the past five years. If the citizens would divide the task with the teachers, and 10,000 citizens, men and women, would each teach five, it would be done. The war has revealed the handicap of illiteracy and the need of moonlight schools. The five thousand soldiers taught at Camp Taylor, as well as the 95,000 men and women taught in the moonlight schools and in their homes will be missionaries who will spread the gospel of everybody's duty to learn to read and write.

A sweeping campaign will be conducted during 1919 to make Kentucky's illiterates, one and all, a Happy New Year in which they can read the news and wield the pen. Every patriotic citizen should enlist for the service he can best perform. Certainly all will take a stand for giving those Kentuckians a chance.

## WILL LOCATE IN FAYETTE

Mr. Robert Lockridge has purchased about 100 acres of land, part of the Haggard estate, located on the Russell Cave pike, in Fayette county, and well improved. The price paid was above \$300 per acre. Mr. Lockridge will get possession of his property March 1, and will move there with his family to reside. He and his family are among the best people of Montgomery county, and it is with much regret that the people generally see them locate elsewhere, but wish them much success in their new home.

## One Drop of

Bourbon Poultry Remedy

for a chick's windpipe

A few drops in the drinking water cures

and prevents white feathering and other chick diseases. One four-ounce bottle contains

13 gallons of medicine. At drug-

stores or by mail postpaid. Vali-

able poultry book free on request.

DRUG CO., Lexington, Ky.

## MONARCHY'S WORST YEAR

In the annals of monarchy, 1918 will always stand out as the year of the big sweep. No other in a century saw so many crowned heads humbled.

Other years had their epidemic, their famines, their floods, great holocausts and their big winds.

But 1918 will stand the biggest toppling of tyranny in all history.

Czar Nick set the skids for monarchistic Europe when he abdicated early in 1917. Constantine, of Greece, gave impetus to the regeneration a few months later. Then Ferdinand of Bulgaria tossed up his job. But it took the collapse of the German empire to complete the king-ly debacle.

Following closely the flight of Kaiser Wilhelm II of Wurtemburg; King Fredrich August III of Saxony; King Ludwig III of Bavaria; Duke Ernest August of Brunswick; Grand Duke Fredrich August of Oldenburg; Grand Duke Fredrich Franz IV of Mecklenburg-Schwerin; Prinz Heinrich of Russ; Grand Duke William Ernst of Saxe-Weimar; Prinz Leopold of Lippe-Detmold; Prinz Freidrich of Waldeck-Pyrmont; Prinz Adolphe of Schaumburg-Lippe; Duke Charles Edward of Saxe-Coburg and Grand Duke Freidrich II of Baden.

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**SOLDIER'S LETTER**

Orléans, France.  
December 16, 1918.

My Dearest Mamma:

I have been trying to write you for the past three or four days, but it seems as though I can't get around to it; so in spite of the fact that I am very sleepy to-night, will make an attempt to get a letter off good ship "Tunisian" that brought to you, although it may not be so interesting. Goodness knows, I have many days and nights of exciting plenty of interesting things to write about, but it's almost impossible to so I'm sending yours' in spite of its get started. To begin with, we have been well over a year old. I can't find a line since I have written you, help but think of the difference in and among many little things, I lost to-night and the cold, dreary night my Duffle-bag, my raincoat, blouse, I wrote that letter to you. To-night which, hy-the-way, contained my pocket hook and nearly six-hundred coming home, while on that other perfectly good frames, which I had night we were perhaps leaving our planned to spend in the good old U. S. A., besides some notes and pictures I wouldn't have thought of parting with. My Pn, Sergeant Billy, lost his best hat—a real Stetson he paid 55 francs for in Paris. His blouse and several other little tricks were also destroyed. He received one or two slight burns and is in the hospital now, but is getting along very well and will be out again within a few days. Of the other two who were with us was a Lieutenant, who lost the coat of a \$65 suit, a \$40 Trench Coat, a \$20 pair of glasses and a pair of driving gloves, and the fourth fellow, a 2nd Lieutenant, lost his duffle bag, his helmet and gloves and an \$80.00 leather coat. I got my leather coat out somehow or other. The fire was caused by a Bidon of gasoline blowing up; the whole place was in flames in a few seconds and we had to climb out of or rather through a window and jump about 10 feet. I cut my hands a little but outside of that everything is lovely. No use to worry, and we don't. We merely say "Le-le-Gurre."

Well Mamma, these are busy days with us. We are trying our level best to get an early start back home, and I think before many weeks are gone we shall be on our way, and when the day comes that fairly went wild, and the air was

lets us trip jauntily down the gang plank of some good old ship, I know we will be one of the happiest and most hilarious little crews that ever crossed the briny deep. Mamma, that reminds me of one night not long ago, while going through some old papers, I ran across some letters I wrote the night we boarded the make an attempt to get a letter off good ship "Tunisian" that brought to you, although it may not be so interesting. Goodness knows, I have many days and nights of exciting

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Well Mamma, these are busy days with us. We are trying our level best to get an early start back home, and I think before many weeks are gone we shall be on our way, and when the day comes that fairly went wild, and the air was

filled with "Vive, Vive, Vive les Américaines." Cheers and music filled the air on every side, while the very streets were filled with flowers. It is said to have been one of the biggest days Paris has ever known, even greater than when the Czar graced fair Paris with his royal presence. Only one thing I regret, the sun was not shining and I could take no snap-shots, but little things such as that are soon forgotten.

This is a beautiful old town, mother, and I could get along very well without working at all I think. I know quite a few people here, and now that the war is over, it is very likely I would be well content to stay here till the day comes for us to say our Farewells to old France. We went to the Opera Saturday night and it was very, very good, and I think I saw some of the most beautiful women I ever saw in my life. Met some Red Cross nurses too, so all around it was a great time. We didn't have much time to sleep. I "sneaked" this morning and snatched an hour or so sleep, but you can tell from the way this is written something must be wrong. It's a good thing the little guy who censors my letters don't try to read them for I know he couldn't. I would tell you some jokes on him, but he might take a notion to read this, and then I would be "up the creek." But I will take the time to say I stole his girl. I had the very prettiest girl in the crowd.

Mother, it is wonderful to travel over the beautiful roads of France; the scenery is beyond describing. All summer I traveled over a good bit of this old country. Perhaps one night we would be bombed, the next night the big 75's would be whizzing and dropping around, and in a week I would be in some quiet spot where war would be the last thing one would think of. You know, I am an efficiency Sergeant, and I don't always stay in one place and nothing suits me better than the running around. I am certainly lucky. I have seen about as much of things here as the oldest of them

# MR. GROWER

Bring Your Tobacco Crop To  
The A. R. Robertson Tob-  
acco Warehouse

Every wagon receives careful attention and your crop is handled by experienced, competent tobacco men. We urge our patrons to bring their tobacco to the market in good order.

The market is higher now than it has been and the better shape you bring your tobacco to market the higher your average price will be.

# A. R. ROBERTSON

Tobacco Warehouse

and I've never been scratched. Received your letter of the 24th, today, saying your Liberty Bond had come. Was so glad to hear. Well mamma, I am so sleepy, I must close. Take good care of yourself. Love to all.

Devotedly, your son,  
J. H. LANE.

#### WINS GOLD MEDAL

Miss Ethel Baker, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bunker, has been awarded the beautiful gold medal offered by Judge E. W. Senff, Chairman War Savings Committee for Montgomery county, to the young lady who would sell the largest amount of War Savings Stamps. Miss Baker proved to be an indefatigable and capable solicitor, selling over twenty thousand dollars worth.

#### NAMED ADMINISTRATOR

On motion of the widow of the late Walker P. Reid, who died in France some weeks ago, his brother, Mr. Henry P. Reid, was named by County Judge Senff as Administrator of the estate, amounting to about \$3500, consisting chiefly of life insurance.

#### STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Montgomery County Fair Association, held at the Court House next Friday, Jan. 17th, at 1 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year. A full attendance is desired. Come and show your interest.

C. G. THOMPSON, President.

W. HOFFMAN WOOD, Secretary.

FACT! Said old man Kelp: "Learn this, my brother: The Lord will help those who help others."

The average married man does not need to wear a wedding ring to show he is married: he looks it.

Long experience will finally teach you that what you get free is about worth what you pay for it.

# PUBLIC SALE

Blue Grass Farm Land  
Saturday Morning, February 1st,

One and one-fourth miles from the Court House, Mt. Sterling, Ky., at 10 o'clock, on the premises, I will, as agent for Grover C. Anderson, sell to the highest and best bidder,

#### Eighty Acres of Land

This farm lies on the South side of the Lulbegrud pike, just 150 yards west of the Mt. Sterling and Levee turnpike, and is known as the Marshall farm. Since falling into the present owner's hands it has been nursed and farmed in a husband-like manner, until to-day it is as productive a piece of land as was ever offered for sale in Montgomery County. 15 acres of this farm was sown in wheat in the fall of 1918, and followed by bluegrass and timothy. 8 acres is in clover, and the balance is in bluegrass and timothy sod, with the exception of 1 1/2 acres that was in tobacco in 1918. This crop of tobacco sold for over \$520 per acre, proving that the land will grow as good crops as any land.

#### Improvements

Consist of a new Six-bent tobacco barn, with troughs and racks complete. One "Naco" Imperishable Tile Silo, capacity to feed 50 head of 1000 pound cattle. 300 barrel cistern at the barn, with a 15-barrel concrete watering trough. One corn crib, new, with shed, and crib has capacity of 100 barrels. Never failing spring on the back of the farm, and pond that was built in 1918. The fencing is all practically new and in good order.

Upon this tract of land are two beautiful building sites, and being so close to a city where there are all the advantages that one can expect, and in one of the best neighborhoods in the county we do not hesitate a moment in saying that the sale of this land came very unexpected to me, and it will be a bargain to the purchaser regardless of who that may be.

This Farm Will Be Sold Subject to Survey and without Reserve or By-Bid

The sale will be held on the premises, on the Lulbegrud pike, rain or shine, on

Saturday, December 1st, 1919

TERMS—One-third Cash March 1, 1919, when deed will be executed and delivered, and possession given, and the remainder will be divided in two equal payments, due and payable in 1 and 2 years, these payments to bear 6 per cent interest and to be secured by lien on the property. For further information see Grover C. Anderson or the undersigned.

W. HOFFMAN WOOD

"The Man Who Sells The Earth"

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Agent for G. C. Anderson.

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

# PUBLIC SALE

As agent for Wm. H. Reid, I will sell at public auction at 10 o'clock a. m., on

Thursday, January 23rd,

At the Waker Reid place (the old James Chorn place) on the Wades Mill Pike one-mile from Sewell's Shop, the following personal property:

About 35 acres of corn in the field  
37 black face ewes and 2 bucks, due to lamb in February.

1 team of mare mules 10 years old

1 team of mare mules, 7 years old

1 team of horse mules coming four yrs. old

These mule teams are all good ones.

5 large ricks of wheat straw

1 International tractor and plow, bought new in 1917 and is in first class condition

Forks, Hoes and many other articles not mentioned

**TERMS:** All sums beneath \$100.00 cash, above that amount cash or 6 per cent bankable note at ninety days.

**Henry P. Reid**

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

The Advocate for Printing.

# After Inventory Sale

Our January inventory has shown us that we are over-stocked on heavy clothing, shoes, hats, mackinaws, overcoats, rain coats, ladies coats and dresses, heavy Kersey Suits, corduroy suits, men's, women's and children's winter underwear.

We will sell every article at cost, beginning

## Saturday, January 11th

and continue the sale until January 31st.

We urge our friends to come in and take advantage of this opportunity to buy high-class merchandise at cost prices. Our buying has always been given special attention and we are sure that the conservative buyers will find just what he or she wants in first-class, dependable merchandise, and that you will agree with us that this is no catch-penny Sale, but the real bargain feast.

We have always conducted our business along high-class lines and tried to merit the confidence of the buying public and this year we will continue the same policy. Come in and get your wants supplied.

## McCormick & Oldham

### PUBLIC AUCTION

At Court House Door, Mt. Sterling, Ky.,

Saturday, Jan. 25, 1919, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

As agent for the heirs, I will sell at public auction on the above date and at the place mentioned, the modern cottage home, belonging to the DeHaven heirs, and situated on Maysville Street, almost within a stone's throw of the Court House. The lot is about 65 feet width in front and runs a depth of over 200 feet, making it large and roomy, with plenty of garden space and room for chickens.

The residence contains 5 rooms, kitchen, bath room, rear hall and front and side porches. The house is in good condition, with new roof, and is piped for gas and wired for electricity. On the lot is a good stable with two stalls and large buggy shed, that could be used as a garage without alteration. There is also small store-house, coal house, chicken yard, two good garden spots and other improvements.

The location of this home is one of the best in the city—on asphalt Maysville street, close to the schools, churches, business centers and Court House, and the neighborhood cannot be improved upon anywhere in the world. Practically all residents living in that section are property owners, and neighbors of a life time. This is one of the real good pieces of property that is now offered for sale and if you want a good home in a location that is desirable and which will never deteriorate, then you can make no mistake in buying this piece of property. TERMS WILL BE MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE, which will be held immediately following the sale of the Duerson Farm Lands. Go look this property over and be a bidder and a buyer of a desirable home. Also at the same time and place I will sell a tract of land containing

### FIVE ACRES OF RICH SOIL

located on the Winchester pike, and adjoining the lands of Mrs. Harp and Mrs. Peter Kelly. This land is rich and ready for tobacco and has never been tobacco tired. It has on it a good young orchard now bearing, and has one of the prettiest building sites in Montgomery county. The location cannot be improved upon. Just five minutes drive from the city district.

Go see this land, or come and see me and let us talk it over. These properties are going to sell. Make up your mind to be a bidder and buyer for both these pieces of property. For further information call on,

**W. HOFFMAN WOOD**  
WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

AGENT FOR  
DeHAVEN HEIRS

### MAJ. GEN. BELL WAS WARM FRIEND OF LOCAL MAN

My friend and associate in younger days, Major General Franklin Bell was the second son of John Wilson and Margaret Venable Bell, and was born in Shelbyville, Ky., Jan. 9, 1856, and passed to his reward on the evening of Jan. 8, 1919. The writer of this tribute has known the deceased from childhood, in young manhood, as a student in preparation for West Point as a graduate in the class of 1878, and has with joy, pride and endeared solicitude watched the advancement of the man, soldier, hero. The pride of Kentucky, he was a great soldier and more, a friend and Christian gentleman. The official records bear witness of daring exploits, of worthy advancements as he attained most worthily to his zenith. He modestly wore the Congressional Medal of Honor. He was promoted to the rank of Brigadier General over many of his fellow officers and when Chief of Staff of the army, health failed after many hard and needless battles and though he directed the training of the 77th Division, was not permitted to lead it to battle against the Germans.

Of General Bell we have to say, his biography is written in heroic deeds and though his body rests in Arlington's City of the Dead, his name and deeds are indelibly imprinted on the generations present and will be on those to come. General Bell is survived by his wife who has the sympathy of all who loved and admired the man she adored.

Peace and rest to him who thus sleepeth. J. W. H., Sr.

### SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND COURT DAY

Cups and Saucers, 6 for ..... 90c  
Plates, 6 for ..... 90c  
Red Cross Starch, box ..... 5c  
Matches, 6 boxes ..... 25c  
Clean Easy and Lenox Soap, per cake ..... 5c

THE FAIR

### HAS UNIQUE TITLE

Stark Mary Reindeer Queen of Alaska.

Appreciation Accorded Her Through Ownership of Herds of Valuable Animals—Loved Throughout Territory for Generosity.

Coal miners, trappers, miners, cattle men—all are all familiar with the singular beauty of Stark Mary. She is unique and unique is the title popularly accorded to Stark Mary, the reindeer queen of Alaska. Mary's career, as it is related in the *Sunset Magazine*, is one unique in the world of business and philanthropy.

In 1902 Mary Antisarok, half Russian, half Eskimo, was a round-faced, bright-eyed, sleek-haired young woman, pretty—we have her own innocently frank word for it—and a bride. The government had just decided to import reindeer from Siberia to Alaska and had sent Lieutenant Berthold, in the revenue cutter Bear, to negotiate the purchase. He needed an interpreter, speaking both Russian and Eskimo, and Mary was engaged. She was glad of the opportunity, but unwilling to leave her husband; so he was engaged, too, as a sort of odd-job man aboard; but Mary was the recognized head of the Antisarok firm. She made herself intelligently and successfully useful among the natives with whom it was necessary to deal, and on returning to Alaska she was well paid with a goodly number of reindeer.

These animals were the origin of a herd that flourished and increased amazingly, and became, indeed, several herds. Mary is now raising deer enough to supply thousands of consumers; and reindeer meat is tender, palatable and delicious, so much so that, but for the difficulties of transportation, it would probably become a staple food throughout the country. Mary is a rich woman, but she lives simply in a cluster of cabins, perched upon a rocky promontory thrusting seaward, fringed with ever-beating surf.

It is common knowledge throughout Alaska that no one was ever refused food and lodging at Mary's cabin; it is also known that, although open-handed and free, she is a shrewd bargainer and possesses remarkable commercial sagacity. Few traders, if any, have been able to get the advantage of her in a business deal. There are those in her employ who at times complain of her as a harsh mistress, for in business she expects everyone to live up to obligations and is so strict in that regard that it is hard at times to reconcile this severity with her natural attitude of easy generosity. But with Mary business is business, and philanthropy is quite another matter.

Toward the hungry, the helpless and little children her tenderness is unfailing and her bounty lavish. She has no children of her own, but she has adopted a numerous family—not a pretty baby or two, carefully selected for health and charm and promise, but such forlorn, abandoned and neglected waifs and strays as came under her notice in a remote and lawless zone. There are all races and colors, declares her biographer, Nona Marquis Snyder, but Mary is mercifully color-blind! She gives them all a mother's care so far as she is capable, educates them after a fashion and, when they drift out of the home eddy into the greater life current, she sees the boat well provisioned.

One deed of generosity will never be forgotten in Alaska. In 1908, only five years after the founding of her herd of reindeer, word came that more than four hundred whalers had been caught in the ice packs of Point Barrow and were slowly freezing and starving. They were five hundred miles away from Mary Antisarok's snow-covered cabin; they were many more miles distant—and miles of the northern wilderness, icy, rocky, storm-swept and terrible—from sources of civilized supply. Quite simply and as a matter of course, Mary, reserving only a few head for domestic necessity, started her whole herd of reindeer northward to the rescue. She received no personal appeal, asked no advice, awaited no instructions, made neither bargain nor effort to protect her interests. She saw her chance for first aid, and gave it, instantly and whole-heartedly.

Later, the government replaced the sacrificed deer with interest and gave her the thanks she deserved. But since that day it is for more than her business ability that the reindeer queen is respected throughout Alaska—Youth's Companion.

Railroad Supersedes Camel. The modern Ethiopian travels from Jerusalem to Gaza on the way to his home country, far up the Nile, by railroad road train. Reports from Palestine indicate that since the British occupation of the country Gaza, the chief city of the Philistines in Old Testament days, and the scene of Samson's exploits, has become an important railroad center, the broad-gauge railway having been extended from Gaza to a point 50 miles to the northward, and the old Turkish line from Ludd to Jerusalem, as well as the recently constructed branch line from Gaza to Sura junction, having been restored and put in operation.

The Way of It. "I was held up by a woman once who was too well supplied with arms for me to resist her." "Was she a professional footpad?" "No, she was my nurse when I was a kid."

### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE MT. STERLING NATIONAL BANK

Montgomery, in the State of Kentucky, on January 31, 1919.

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	451,500
2. Overdrafts, uncollected	1,000
3. U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and uncollected	12,500.00 62,500.00
4. Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/4 per cent, unpledged	56,250.00
5. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	3,450.00
6. Value of banking house	14,000.00
7. Legal reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	46,776.71
8. Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks	122,406.36
9. Net amount due from banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13 or 15	11,502.22
10. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	6,927.98
Total Items 15, 16 and 18	140,026.56
11. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	554.49
12. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
13. Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due	6,500.00
14. War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	834.00
Total	\$928,214.26

LIABILITIES	
24. Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
25. Surplus fund	65,000.00
26. Undivided profits	65,000.00
27. Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)	1,500.00
28. Amount reserved for taxes accrued	2,586.52
29. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
30. Individual deposits subject to check	686,372.16
31. Certified checks	7,735.55
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34 and 36	604,127.71
Total	\$928,214.26

Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197 Rev. Stat) was ...

State of Kentucky, County of Montgomery, ss:  
I, W. L. Killpatrick, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1919.  
My commission expires Jan. 28, 1922.  
ELIZABETH WYATT.  
Notary Public

### ATTORNEY GENERAL RESIGNS

Thomas W. Gregory, Attorney General of the United States, has resigned and will return to the practice of law. Mr. Gregory says "pecuniary responsibilities" cause him to take this step. His salary is \$12,000.00 per year.

Mr. Gregory is the fifth man to leave the cabinet during the six years of President Wilson's administration. Others were Secretary of State Bryan, Secretary of War Garrison, Attorney General McReynolds, Mr. Gregory's predecessor, who was appointed to the Supreme Court, and Mr. McAdoo.

Look for your own fool streak, the other fellow's being so prominent you can see it without looking for it.

The Advocate for Printing.

### ESCAPED FROM JAIL

Kelly Baily escaped from this jail on January 4, 1919. He was in jail charged with house breaking. Notice is given to all officers to be on the look-out for him. He is about 18 years of age, has curly hair and is inclined to be cross-eyed and stutters when talking. Anyone having any information regarding him will kindly notify,

E. L. RAYS,  
Jailer Menifee County, Ky.

### FORMERLY LIVED HERE

Mrs. R. M. King, before marriage Miss Bessie Cheatum, of the Grassy Lick neighborhood, died at her home in Winchester last Monday following a short illness. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Nancy Thompson, of this city and had many relatives and friends in this county who were grieved to learn of her death.

### PUBLIC SALE

### of 50 Head of Young TENNESSEE JERSEY COWS

At Mt. Sterling, Ky., Stock Yards  
Friday, January 17th  
At 1:00 P. M.

All fresh with young calves except six. 15 pure bred, several out of the highest testing herds in Tennessee. Many of these cows have records from 36 to 48 lbs. of milk per day. We selected this consignment of cows ourselves, all have nice udders and long teats and have been given the tuberculin test by Dr. Jacobs, Tennessee State Veterinary. This consignment is the best we ever offered.

D. F. BROWN, Tenn.  
S. C. CARPENTER

## Why Meat Prices Vary in Different Stores

Prime steers.....	\$19.30 to \$20.35
Good to choice steers.....	17.00 to 19.75
Common to medium steers.....	10.75 to 15.75
Young steers.....	8.75 to 10.75
Fat cows and heifers.....	8.35 to 15.35
Canning cows and heifers.....	7.25 to 8.75
Bulls plain to best.....	6.50 to 12.50
Poor to fancy calves.....	6.75 to 15.75
Western range steers.....	10.00 to 18.00

These newspaper quotations represent live cattle prices in Chicago on December 30th, 1918.

The list shows price ranges on nine general classified groups with a spread of \$13.85 per cwt.—the lowest at \$6.50 and the highest at \$20.35.

Why this variation in price?

Because the meat from different animals varies greatly in quality and weight.

Although the quotations shown are in nine divisions, Swift & Company grades cattle into 34 general classes, and each class into a variety of weights and qualities.

As a result of these differences in cattle prices, (due to differences in weights and meat qualities), there is a range of 15 cents in Swift & Company's selling prices of beef carcasses.

These facts explain:

- 1—Why retail prices vary in different stores.
- 2—Why it would be difficult to regulate prices of cattle or beef.
- 3—Why it requires experts to judge cattle and to sell meat, so as to yield the profit of only a fraction of a cent a pound—a profit too small to affect prices.

Swift & Company, U.S.A.



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C. P. PIERCE

### GENERAL J. FRANKLIN BELL IS DEAD

Major General J. Franklin Bell, commander of the Department of the East, died Wednesday night at the Presbyterian hospital in New York.

His death was due to heart disease. He was taken to the hospital three days ago for observation but it was not realized that his condition was serious and his death came as a complete surprise. General Bell was 60 years old.

General Bell was a West Pointer of the class 1878 and during his forty years in the army had many difficult assignments. As a lieutenant he participated in some of the hardest fighting in the Indian campaigns.

At the beginning of the Spanish War Bell was promoted to the rank of Major. He sailed from San Francisco for Manila on June 15, 1898 and took a prominent part in the Philippines campaigns.

When the regular army was reorganized in 1901, Bell was made a Brigadier of the regulars.

General Bell had served only three months as commander of the Western Department when he was assigned to take command of the Seventy-seventh National Army Division at Camp Upton. He was ordered to France in December of that year for observation and remained abroad three months.

Although General Bell trained the Seventy-seventh he was not permitted to lead it to France for the medical board which examined him found his physical condition such that he was not fitted for active service in the field and he was relieved of the command in May of last year. He remained at Camp Upton for some time, however, and then he was reappointed to take command of the Eastern department.

Major General Bell was born in Shelly County, Kentucky, where he has many relatives living and where he had visited occasionally. He was widely known and related and greatly admired throughout Kentucky.

### For Sale.

Practically new 8 cylinder Oldsmobile 5 passenger clover leaf design. Five Silver Cord tires in best of condition. The car mentioned belongs to my daughter who is living in another State. Will be glad to show and demonstrate the car to anyone interested. I also have for sale a Ford runabout equipped with over-sized tires. See me

HENRY JUDY.

27-3t. Phone 674, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

### THE HOME PAPER

When the evenin' shade is fallin' at the endin' o' the day,  
An' a feller rests from labor smokin' his pipe o' clay,  
There's nothin' does him so much good, be fortune up or down,  
As the little country paper from his ol' home town.  
It ain't a thing o' beauty an' its print niv' alwys clean,  
But it straightens out his temper when a feller's feelin' mean;  
It takes the wrinkles off his face an' brushes off the frown,  
That little country paper from his ol' home town.  
It tells of all the parties an' balls of Punkin row,

'Bout who spent Sunday with his girl an' how the crops'll grow;  
How its keeps a feller posted 'bout who is up an' who is down,  
That little country paper from his ol' home town.

Now I like to read the dailies an' the story papers, too,

And at times the yellow novels an' some other trash—don't you? But when I want some readin' that will brush away a frown, I want that little paper from my ol' home town.

—Chloride Furnace News

### For Rent

Store room on Court street, now occupied by Food Administrator. Will repair to suit renter and give possession at once. For further particulars, see H. R. Prewitt, Atty. 22-tf RICHARD REID ROGERS.

The Advocate for Printing.

## FINISH YOUR JOB IS TO BE U. S. CRY IN SPRING

TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS PLAN APPEALS TO THINKING INVESTORS FOR FIFTH LOAN.

What will be the compelling reasons which will lead the American people in Spring to purchase bonds of the Fifth Liberty Loan?

Treasury department officials at Washington are discussing this question at this time as are thinking investors all over the country. It is a little too early for slogans to be actually launched or for arguments to be whipped into final shape, but official Washington agrees that the keynote of the appeals to purchasers will have its root in two sound American arguments—that we have started a job which we must finish, that the bonds are the soundest possible investment.

A conference of treasury representatives from all of the federal reserve districts of the country was held at Atlantic City recently and a committee of seven was selected to study the views of the conferees on the fundamental appeal for the Fifth loan.

The main lines of thought running through all the suggestions with which these men are working seem to be "finish the job" and "invest in the best."

The sale of bonds to some thirty millions of our people in prior loans makes thirty millions who have acquired the spirit and the why of bond buying—who will have the natural impulse to "stay in the game" and see it through. The see-it-through spirit will have a strong hold, too, on the army or workers. And all classes, whether they have bought before or not, will readily see the need of caring for the expenses incident to return of the army and navy men to civilian life and the care of the sick and wounded.

The investment argument cannot be refuted and the men formulating the arguments for the Fifth Loan believe to a man that this feature must be emphasized and made perfectly clear to every American. The government bonds are, of course, the safest possible investment in this transition period between war and peace and their ultimate value will unquestionably be much higher than their purchase price.

## Liberty Loans Five Greatest Thrift Teachers

When histories of the war are being written the five Liberty Loans will take rank as five great teachers in the minds of the average man and woman, whose daily task is the making of a living, as the five best teachers he has known. They will have taught him thrift.

That is the opinion of S. W. Straus, New York financier, who is president of the American Society for Thrift. In a recent interview he said:

"Only one-half of the families in the United States were money savers before the war. Now every family belongs in that class. As a nation and as individuals we must continue the practice of thrift. It is the only way of repairing the world waste caused by the war.

"The average citizen has discovered that he can save without instantaneously losing all 'class' as a good fellow and a good spender. Saving for Liberty Bonds has given him a concrete lesson. He has found that

he gets along very well without this luxury and not only does not miss it but is better for being without it."

Asked how much a man should save to be really thrifty Straus answered:

"He should save something. The amount depends on circumstances. One man saving only 5 per cent of his salary might be really more thrifty than a man saving 20 per cent because the first man might have more difficulties with which to contend in his efforts to save. The point is that every young man or young woman should put aside regularly some portion of his or her income. It is the first step in getting somewhere. And there is only one way to start saving. It is—to start saving."

—Chloride Furnace News

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J. W. HEDDEN, JR., EDITOR  
G. B. SENFF, EDITOR

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MR. WALKER D. HINES

The selection of Mr. Walker D. Hines as Director General of Railroads to succeed Mr. McAdoo, causes all Kentuckians to be justly proud of the honor thus paid a fellow-citizen.

Mr. Hines, now only forty-eight years of age, has had a meteoric career, advancing step by step, from a railroad stenographer to his present exalted position.

His aims and policies are tersely told in the following interview given out with the announcement of his appointment:

"From the first day of Government control of the railroads," said Mr. Hines, "I have been a part of Mr. McAdoo's administration, and it will be my purpose as Director General to carry forward the policies he has so ably put into effect—fidelity to the public interest, a square deal for labor, with not only an ungrudging but a sincere and cordial recognition of its partnership in the railroad enterprises, and fair treatment for the owners of railroad property and for those with whom the railroads have business dealing.

"Until the signing of the armistice the Government's first railroad duty was to run the railroads to win the war, but now that the war is won, the Government's railroad job is to render an adequate and convenient transportation service at reasonable cost. There can be no greater civic triumph in time of peace than the performance of successful transportation service for the 100,000,000 producers, consumers and travelers in this country. To participate in the achievement of this great object I invite all the railroad officers and employees with whom I have had the privilege of cooperating in their splendid war work.

"I am a profound believer in the virtue of mutual understanding. Most disputes come from the failure to understand the other fellow's legitimate needs and his legitimate difficulties. I shall do my best to understand the points of view of all the interests affected by the conduct of the railroads or charged with duties on the subject, and I shall also try, frankly and as clearly as I can, to get all these interests to understand the Government's needs and the Government's difficulties in conducting the railroad transportation service. I ask of all that they meet me half way in this great work of trying to understand."

Yesterday the Supreme Court of the United States held constitutional the Reed "bone dry" amendment, prohibiting the interstate shipment of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes, into dry territory, even for one's personal use.

The Court of Appeals of Kentucky, however, recently held unconstitutional, such a law, adopted by the legislature, which sought to have the same application on intra-state shipments.

As between the two contradictory rulings, we believe the Supreme

Court's opinion is the better of the two, as it makes it clear that a community must decide, why we believe should be given up by our country, the expressed will of the people.

## BIRTHS

On December 24, to the wife of Mr. Edwin T. Lawrence, at their home in Moscow, Idaho, a son—Edwin Fulton. Mr. Lawrence formerly resided in this city and was familiarly known as "Teddy."

## MADE HIM THINK OF HOME

French Youngster's Innocent Carelessness by No Means Objectionable to Yankee "Doughboy."

The company had stopped on the march for a ten-minute rest in a small town, writes a correspondent in France. A husky doughboy sat down on a doorstep and eased off the weight of his pack. A small boy passed, turned and hesitated. An exchange of grins and the youngster sidled over. In another minute three or four other gaminos were crowding round.

One particularly small fellow climbed up on the doughboy's knees. Suddenly the youngster reached up with both arms and gave his burly American ally a kiss on the cheek.

The doughboy didn't seem to know what to do. A mule Skinner coarsely guffawed. The small boy, not at all embarrassed, repeated the performance. Again the driver guffawed, but this time not so heartily. Then there was marked pause.

"Er—how does it feel, Bill?" the mule Skinner queried.

"Darn good," came the cheery answer. "I'm a family man, you know."

## Soldiers' Rations Costly.

According to figures given out by General Smith of the quartermaster's department, it costs almost three times as much to feed an American soldier today as it did in the Spanish war. The cost in 1898 was 12.51 cents a day. Now it is 32 cents. The ration is a fixed standard, and accordingly the cost figures have mounted steadily in recent years.

Saturday Night Special: The more trouble people have, the more they want to borrow.



## SURE NOTE

The City Youth: Now, I ain't no lobster! Lobster is red an' they live on a cake of ice in restaurant windows!

## Is That So?

Mr. Peerabout was the typical tourist, so when on his wanderings he came across a depression in the ground covering several acres, he pounced upon a native cagerly, asking his questions at him:

"What is this depression, can you tell me, my good man?"

"That is the bed of a lake."

"Is that so, really? And what has happened to the water?"

"It was this way: There was a picnic here last year, and they had a spare case of anchovy, and as they didn't want to carry it home they threw it in the lake."

"Yes, I see! But what has that to do with it?"

"Everything. The fish ate them, and the salt diet made them so thirsty they drank all the water."

## Panama Canal Due for Boom.

Mention of San Diego, Cal., in connection with some after-the-war activities, will serve to recall to many the fact that nothing like the best possible has thus far been realized with regard to the Panama canal by Pacific coast cities. The war came along too soon to permit business on the great waterway to get a good start, and worse than that, the war gathered to its use, for employment in other parts of the globe, shipping that might have been far more usefully employed in developing the peaceful commerce of the world. But the Panama canal is still ready for business.

## Protest.

"Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "are we going to have freedom of the seas?"

"Why are you so interested?"

"I haven't forgotten the way we were treated at the beach last summer. I don't believe anybody has a right to rope off the ocean and then charge you 50 cents for the privilege of taking a bath in it."

## Housing Problems.

"Ever notice that there are no haunted houses in Washington?"

"No. But come to think of it, what chance would a ghost have of holding on to a dwelling place when the landlord himself couldn't get possession?"

# UNITED STATES SELLS 200 MOTOR TRUCKS

Fifteen Hospitals Will Be Sent to Stricken Armenia.

The United States Government, which is aiding in every way the work of the American Committee for Relief in the Near East (formerly the Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee), has just given out the information that it will turn over to the committee for a nominal sum fifteen American Army hospitals in France and two hundred

motor trucks, no longer needed since the signing of the armistice.

Each of these hospitals contains 100 beds and complete equipment except for kitchen utensils. The buildings in which these hospitals will be housed in the Near East have been erected, with the hospital equipment the committee will purchase large quantities of medical supplies which have been stored in France to safeguard the health of American soldiers. These supplies will be rushed to the Near East from a French port.

Careful surveys of the situation in the Near East indicate that lack of transportation facilities is the chief cause of famine. There is food enough to keep the inhabitants from starving, but it cannot be distributed to supply 625,000 square miles of country. There are only 50 miles of railroad. Consequently there is plenty of food in some sections of the country where food is grown, but great distress in those which are not self-supporting. In the cities especially there is great need. On one occasion wheat became so scarce in a community in Persia that the price increased 1,200 per cent. Tens of thousands of people are gaunt and hungry as those gathered around the dead horse in the accompanying picture. Many have been without food for days. An Associated Press dispatch from Salonika of recent date (December 16) reports that of the 2,000,000 Armenians deported by the Turks only 400,000 survived and that not more than one-fourth of the present Armenian population can survive until the next harvest without outside help.

Distressing as seem these reports, it is encouraging to know that even causes of advanced emaciation, such as are shown in this illustration, readily respond to treatment. With food and medical care millions can be made strong and healthy. Thirty million dollars, the sum to be sought in the January 12 to 19 drive, will help save 4,000,000 lives. Considered only as an investment, it should be worth while.

# HOSPITAL

Building time draws near. You or your dear ones may be the first to need its conveniences and sanitary aids to preserve life and restore health. You can help. You owe it to your community, to humanity, to charity, to give. Before we begin our campaign we ask for voluntary subscriptions. Will you not help?

We need \$15,000 to complete buildings and equipment. Sooner or later you will give. Lighten our labors, set forward the hope of the community by giving voluntarily. Talk it over with, get information from, or mail your check to any one of us.

R. G. Kern C. D. Grubbs B. Frank Perry  
J. O. Green C. C. Chenault M. A. Prewitt  
Pierce Winn W. L. Kilpatrick Robert H. Winn

## JUST OUT

**History of the World War--By Francis A. March, (Brother of General Peyton C. March)**

Fully illustrated. Come in and let us show you a copy

**DUERSON'S DRUG STORE**  
9 MAYSVILLE STREET

### PERSONALS

Rev. Wm. Peyton, of Louisville, is in the city today on business.

Miss Sarah Calk visited in Louisville last week.

Mr. Nelson H. Trimble, Jr., of Fayette County, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Mary Nelson Embank, of Clark County, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Catherine Hadden will spend the week-end with Miss Margaret Hadden, in Lexington.

### JUST RECEIVED

#### Two Cars Schumacher Feeds

For the Horse, For the Cow  
For the Pig For the Poultry

**I. F. TABB**

# The Whitehall Tobacco Company

Incorporated

Mt. Sterling,

Kentucky

*"Over the Top" Into No Man's Land,*  
Monday, January 13, 1919

Selling 197,515 Pounds of Common Tobacco At An Average of \$29.59

Sales Crop Record for Mt. Sterling Smashed

**HARDWICK & FOLEY Sold Crop of 3,300 lbs. at Straight Average of \$61.56**  
Baskets Bringing Following Prices

70 pounds, 64c.	60 pounds, 50c.	195 pounds, 57c.	115 pounds, 66c.	260 pounds, 65c.	60 pounds, 67c.
260 pounds, 65c.	145 pounds, 64c.	225 pounds, 65c.	225 pounds, 64c.	200 pounds, 64c.	245 pounds, 66c.
205 pounds, 47c.	45 pounds, 67c.	215 pounds, 67c.	145 pounds, 67c.	145 pounds, 65c.	150 pounds, 49c.

#### Other Crop Averages:

Patterson & Sorrell, 6630 pounds	\$46.36	R. A. Childers & Son, 2035 pounds	43.10
Stewart & Willoughby, 1510 pounds	41.07	F. M. Lockridge, 2445 pounds	55.23
Shroud & White, 1085 pounds	43.06	D. J. Prewitt, 930 pounds	52.76
William Alfrey, 4185 pounds	41.12	Patterson & Shroud, 1695 pounds	46.77
E. Mobrey, 1785 pounds	46.31	Owings Lane, 2540 pounds	36.40

All Grade Prices Show Upward Tendency. Sort Your Tobacco Right, Bring It To The Floor In Good Order And Sell Your Crop At

"THE HOUSE THAT SATISFIES"

**The Whitehall Tobacco Co.**

J. WILL CLAY, President

(Incorporated)

S. S. PINNEY, Secretary

WE UNLOAD YOUR CROP WHILE YOU WAIT

**ALL  
OVERCOATS  
25 Per Cent  
OFF**

**R. E. PUNCH & CO.**

**Mt. Sterling's Leading Clothing, Shoe, Hat and Gents' Furnishing House**

**2--BIG STORES--2**

**EASTIN & HARRIS**

**Funeral Directors**

and

**Embalmers**

**MT. STERLING, KY.**

Residence 295 and 146  
Phones: Office 479

It is easy to put in a crop of wild oats, but help is mighty hard to get in harvest time.

The Advocate for Printing.

# PUBLIC SALE

## Of Fine Farm Land

ON

Saturday Morning  
January 18, 1919

at 10 o'clock, the executors of J. E. Henry, deceased, will sell at Public Outcry a portion of the lands of the late J. E. Henry, lying on the Flat Rock and Sideview turnpikes, and containing about 76 acres of land.

### TERMS MADE KNOWN ON DAY OF SALE

which will be held on the premises at or near the old toll gate house on said farm.

This is a fine opportunity to buy a good tract of land.

**Jas. B. Clark and C. C. Turner**  
Executors for J. E. Henry

WM. CRAVENS, Auctioneer

### Commissioner's Sale

#### MONTGOMERY CIRCUIT COURT

Emma Johnson, etc., Plaintiffs,  
VS  
Cooner Johnson, etc., Defendants.

#### Notice of Sale in Equity

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Montgomery Circuit Court, rendered at the October Term 1918, thereof, in the above cause, the undersigned, will on the

27th Day of January, 1919

at one o'clock, P. M., or thereabout, (being the first day of the regular January term of the Circuit Court), proceed to offer for sale, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, on a credit of six and twelve months, at the Court House Door in Mt. Sterling, Ky., the property mentioned in the judgment, to-wit:

Lying and being on the waters of Spencer Creek in Montgomery County, Kentucky, and in the vicinity of Spencer Station, containing one and one sixteenth (1 1/16) acres of land, with improvements thereon, of dwelling house, barn, etc., and said land is bounded by beginning at an iron pin in center of the Spencer turnpike, 20 feet from the West line of S. F. McCormick's store, (now Duff) lot; thene Westward a distance of 89 feet to the East line of Mrs. Elizabeth's McCormick's passway; thene a straight line with said passway to a corner in center of the C. & O. Rail-

road; thene a Northeast course with the line of said McCormick property 59 feet to a stone, corner to said McCormick property; thene bearing Eastward with the same line a distance of 106 feet to a stone, corner in said McCormick's line; thene Southward a straight line to the point of beginning, containing one-half (1/2) acre of land, and the other one-sixteenth (1/16) of an acre of land adjoining the above lot and is bounded on the North by said Railroad line and right of way, and on the East by the lot of William Alfrey. The said property is the same that was conveyed to Emma Johnson, Cooner Johnson and Willa Foy Johnson by deed dated January 22, 1909, of record in Deed Book 63, page 453, of the office of the Montgomery County Court Clerk.

The purchaser will be required to give bond, with approved security, for the payment of the purchase money, to have force and effect of a Replevin Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale, according to law.

Bidders will be prepared to comply with these terms. A lien will be retained on the land sold till all the purchase money is paid.

Bond payable to undersigned,  
W. E. JONES,  
Master Commissioner M. C. C.  
28-31

#### Prolong the Life

of your shoes by having them repaired at O'Connell's Shoe Laboratory, Maysville St., opposite Lloyd's Cafe.

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## JOHN W. JONES JEWELER

The names Jones and Jeweler have been so long linked together in the history of Mt. Sterling that they have become synonymous. . .

UNCLE SAM WILL  
ASK US TO FINISH  
OUR JOB IN APRIL

FIFTH LIBERTY LOAN MUST BE  
FLOATED TO MEET VAST  
EXPENSES OF RECON-  
STRUCTION.

Speculation has been rife in almost every corner of the United States as to the appeals and sales methods to be employed in the Fifth Liberty Loan campaign the last three weeks of next April.

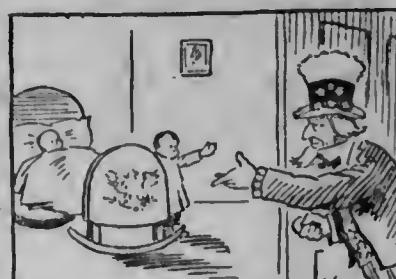
Washington itself is still speculating on the terms of the issue but the method of sales and of appeals are pretty well worked out. The appeals to be made to the buyers of bonds are all offshoots of the two most obvious reasons why Americans should readily and quickly subscribe the issue. America has a job to finish and bonds backed by the American government are the safest investment in the world and will be for years and years.

A committee named at a recent meeting in Atlantic City of representatives from each of the twelve federal reserve districts is working out the outlines of the appeals now. Seven men were appointed at the conference to work under the chairmanship of Guy Emerson, director of publicity for the Liberty Loan in the New York district.

Finishing the job in the minds of these men means the bringing back of the army and navy men overseas, the caring for the sick and wounded among them, the financing of the reconstruction work in which the United States will have to play a big part and the many, many tasks, small specifically, but huge in the aggregate, which will be entailed in the general job of demobilization and readjustment to a peace basis.

Enough is known as to the terms of the bonds of the Fifth Loan to make it certain that their appeal as a straight investment is gilt-edged. This appeal feature has obtained in all of the previous bond issues but particular stress has not been put upon it. In the Fifth Loan it is to be one of the principal arguments for the sale of the bonds. There is not only the attractive rate of interest for an absolutely safe investment but there is the certainty that the bonds will soon command a higher price than their purchase price.

*One Babe'd Be a Care  
But Uncle Has a Pair*

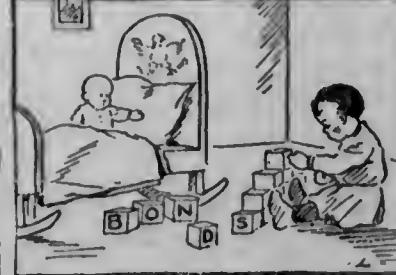


Great babies, those, says Uncle Sam, I should be proud—and so I am! The oldest one is Thrift—Not quite two yet, but smart's a whip. Fifth Loan, I've named the little chip. The pair I deem a gift.

The infant would need constant care. Were not the other baby there,

But now as matters stand  
When other duties call me out  
As to their safety, I've no doubt—

Thrift keeps things well in hand.



*Glass Will Keep  
Liberty Bond Plan*

THE change in the office of the secretary of the treasury will mean no change in the financial program of the government. This has been made clear by the new incumbent of the office, Carter Glass. He is committed to a program of financing which has been outlined by former Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo.

There is no change in the plan to have a Fifth Liberty Loan the last three weeks in April. In this connection Glass said in one of his first statements after taking office:

**CARTER GLASS** "The treasury must issue another large loan before the end of the fiscal year and I am entirely in accord with the policy already outlined that this loan should take the form of bonds of short maturity.

"Among the valuable and much needed lessons we have partly learned from the war is that of thrift and intelligent expenditure. It is imperative that we do not relax into old habits of wasteful expenditure and imperative that the habit of reasonable living so easily acquired during the war period be continued."

# FARM FOR SALE

I WILL ON  
Monday, January 20th, 1919

(County Court Day) at 11 o'clock a. m. at the Court House door in Mt. Sterling, offer at public sale, my farm of 120 acres of good strong bluegrass land lying on the Spencer turnpike, 4 miles from Mt. Sterling. About 90 acres in grass, 30 acres in cultivation of which 12 acres was broken from sod in 1918. Place has on it a 7-room new house built in the last year, has water in kitchen for family use, piped from a large cistern at barn; combined tobacco and stock barn, 50x72, 20 feet to eave, built last year, equipped with tier rails for hanging tobacco. All necessary outbuildings, including garage for two cars. Built adjoining barn is 180-ton silo, new. Good four room tenant house, excellent springs, and place is as well watered as any farm in the county. Farm is well fenced, most of it being built new in the last year. This farm lies directly on the Spencer pike, having a good frontage on same.

The place is known as the Robert Lockridge farm and has been well cared for and as I have business interests elsewhere that require my attention, I have decided to sell this place. If you want to buy a good farm in a fine neighborhood, be on hand and bid on this one as it is positively to be sold.

Mr. Lockridge, who is now living on the farm, will be pleased to show the land and improvements to prospective bidders.

W. M. CRAVENS, Auctioneer.

**S. Fred McCormick**

### NEVER TOO OLD TO ADVERTISE

There are now appearing in the newspapers and magazines a series of illustrated advertisements put out by a well-known mercantile house that was established in 1723. They deal with phases of the company's business which are not generally known to the purchasing public, showing the method of collecting the raw material, the adventurous life of its agents, episodes in remote lands, etc., all of which are interesting because they possess the charm of novelty.

Reference is made to the matter here not because such advertising is new, which, of course, is not, but because this long-established institution, lacking only five years of being two centuries old, feels that it is well worth while to keep its name constantly before the public. New competitors are constantly arising, and only by meeting changed conditions in the spirit of the day can the old-timer hold his own.

This is a point which should not be lost upon any line of business. Age carries with it no great privilege in trade, but must hustle to keep the place it has won. Advertising, well-managed, is a prodigious help in this direction. If this famous old house, dating from 1723, before Washington was born, finds printers' ink essential to its prosperity, how much more important must such an aid be to the individual, firm or corporation that is in the first flush of youth!

**Small Farm For Sale.**  
Containing 20 acres on Brush Creek, near Cnmargo, a 6-room dwelling, new 4-acre tobacco barn and other necessary buildings. Land grows fine tobacco and corn. Has good orchard and is well watered. Terms reasonable. For further information see

**HADEN REYNOLDS.**  
(25-11) Mt. Sterling, Ky., R. R. 6

We are entitled to something in this world—if it's only a lemon.

### ATTENTION FARMERS!

Buy your field seed, any and all kinds from me. Prices right and quality guaranteed.

**JOHN G. ROBERTS**

PHONE 642 (61) MT. STERLING, KY.

### ADVERTISE!

The constant drop of water wears away the hardest stone

The constant gnaw of Towser mastenates the toughest bone

The constant wooing lover carries off the blushing maid

And the constant advertiser is the man that gets the trade.

Don't ever think that printer's ink is money to the bad,

To help you jail a roll of kale there's nothing beats the ad.

You can't fool people always, they've been a long time born

And most folks know that man is slow who tooteth not his horn.

—Exchange.

When a bride is sweeping down the church aisle she doesn't realize that her sweeping days have just begun.

Love is like liquor, in that the pure and good is sweetened and improved by the lapse of time, while the impure and counterfeit are ruined by the same agency. Like liquors, too, a little love is invigorating and healing, but its excess is fatal.

The Advocate for Printing.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

**F. J. CHENETY & CO.** Toledo, O.  
We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

**NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE**  
Toledo, O.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# LET US RESOLVE

TO MAKE THIS A YEAR OF SAVING—  
TO SAVE SOMETHING EVERY MONTH—  
TO SAVE SOMETHING EVERY WEEK—  
TO SAVE SOMETHING EVERY DAY—

### THIS BANK WISHES TO AID YOU IN SAVING

The Banking habit is the greatest aid to saving. It helps you to establish a nucleus a nest-egg, and then you take a pride in watching its growth.

**3 PER CENT PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS**

**THE EXCHANGE BANK OF KENTUCKY**  
H. R. PREWITT, Pres. B. FRANK PERRY, Cashier.

Reserve District No. 4  
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE  
MONTGOMERY NATIONAL BANK  
at Mount Sterling, in the State of Kentucky, at the Close of Business on  
December 31, 1918.

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	\$256,810.20
2. Overdrafts, unsecured	1,437.86
5. U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$ 50,000.00
U. S. bonds and certificates of indebtedness owned and unpledged	50,000.00—100,000.00
6. Liberty Loan Bonds, 3 1/2, 4, 4 1/4 per cent, un- pledged	39,550.00
9. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)	2,250.00
10. Value of banking house, owned and unincurred	6,500.00
13. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	34,164.41
15. Cash in vault and net amounts due from na- tional banks	132,672.14
16. Net amount due from banks, bankers and trust companies other than included in Items 13 or 15	2,642.65
18. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	4,160.29
Total of Items 15, 16 and 18	130,475.08
19. Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items	521.68
20. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,502.00
21. Interest earned but not collected—approxi- mate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due	3,806.91
22. War Savings Certificates and Thrift Stamps actually owned	834.00
Total	\$587,650.14
LIABILITIES	
24. Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
25. Surplus fund	25,000.00
26. Undivided profits	25,366.80
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	25,366.80
27. Interest and discount collected or credited, in advance of maturity and not earned (ap- proximate)	446.11
28. Amount reserved for taxes accrued	1,563.75
30. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
34. Individual deposits subject to check	434,644.72
36. Certified checks	31.00
37. Cashier's checks outstanding	603.73
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 34, 36 and 37	435,279.45
Total	\$587,650.14
Of the total loans and discounts shown above, the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those per- mitted by law (See, 5197 Rev. Stat) was ....	none
State of Kentucky, County of Montgomery, ss:	
I, J. H. Conner, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief	J. H. CONNER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before CORRECT—Attest:	
me this 10th day of January, 1919.	
My commission expires Jan. 14, 1920.	PIERCE WINN, JOHN G. WINN, R. C. GATEWOOD, Directors
J. O. GREENE, Notary Public	

MEETING AN EMERGENCY

The greatest emergency the world has witnessed since it began to rain upon Noah is being met right now in Europe.

Two million of Uncle Sam's boys are over there looking after the common good of the world at large.

Incidentally after the interests of America.

And they will have to stay upon the job until it is done. Until things are righted again. Until order is brought out of chaos.

This may be only two or three months longer. It may be as many years.

But while they are there they must be taken care of adequately. They must be clothed and fed and lodged comfortably. We don't want a death list in camp greater than was suffered in action.

We want those boys to come back; every possible one of them.

Uncle Sam estimates that it costs

\$423.27 a year to equip and maintain a soldier in Europe. So if they remain a year it means approximately \$1,000,000,000. And every added month will mean proportionately more.

Part of the proceeds from the coming Liberty Loan will be devoted to this end. Part of it will go to the rehabilitation fund for putting the injured soldiers back on their feet. Part of it will go for insurance claims. The rest will go to meet the hundred and one other demands of this greatest of world emergencies since the dawn of civilization.

Uncle Sam has been pace maker for the world so far in this world war. He has astounded the wise-  
acres of a dozen nations with his Johny-on-the-spot way of accom-  
plishing things.

And he has poured out his wealth of treasure like water for the world good.

This is no time for Americans to think of letting up.

We must stand by our guns; by our record; by Uncle Sam.

We must make the next loan another big success.

BACK TO THIS CITY

Mr. Floyd M. Henry, of Springfield, Illinois, but formerly a representative of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., in this city, has returned here and accepted a position as Special Agent for the Pacific Mutual under General Agent, H. G. Hoffman. Mr. Henry has many friends and relatives in this county and it is predicted he will make an enviable record.

In the game of life a man likes to see his hits and runs printed in big type, but he hollers murder every time one of his errors is recorded.

The Advocate for printing.

TO THOSE WHO DIES

Connecticut Town Has Memorial  
for All Time.

Plot of Ground, Well Called "Tract of  
Glory," Will Be Henceforth the  
Most Cherished Spot in  
Norfolk.

In the little Connecticut town of Norfolk is a triangular piece of ground belonging to the people. For years it stood useless, almost abandoned, and to a certain extent unnoticed. Norfolk sent to France early in 1918 a score and a half of her boys to fight in the American armies. Other boys followed.

A few months after the first contingent marched away Norfolk began to receive its share of tidings from the front. Names of boys known to every one in the town were found in the lists of those "killed in action." Boys whose faces were bright and shining and whose voices were strong and cheery were never to return. They were lying in the fields of France.

The return of these names to Norfolk instead of flesh and blood that went away gave Norfolk its inspiration. The little green triangle became a tract of glory. No more will it be looked upon as a waste, no more will the people of Norfolk call it worthless. For some one thought of a way to make it rich, the most cherished spot in Norfolk.

On flag day in the year that the war made heroes of these lads from Norfolk the people of that place dedicated the point of this triangle to the memory of those who were not to come back from France. At that time four of Norfolk's boys were lying in France under little crosses of wood, and on this day four little crosses of wood similar to those in France, with a name and a date on each, were driven into the ground at the point of the triangle. There they will stay until they are perhaps replaced by more enduring and impressive marks of tribute.

But the little crosses of wood are not all that the people of Norfolk placed in the village triangle in memory of the boys who will not come back. Something that will live and thrive and beautify the barren triangle was placed there for each boy, and it is named for him. For each hero a tree was planted, and it will always be known as his tree, by his name; and long after the great-grandchildren of those who now live in Norfolk are dead and gone these trees will still stand and will be known through all the sunshine and storm of the ages by the names they received at the christening. They will grow to be tall and mighty and spread their branches over the cross that was won on the battle fields of France—the simple cross of honor that every man wins when he gives up his life for his country.

The thought is beautiful. That little triangle in Norfolk will have more trees and crosses; the boys who died in France will live and grow to an age far beyond the years of the oldest of men. How simple this way of commemorating the deeds and the spirit of the boys who go forth to the war never to come home again! A little cross of wood for the present, a towering tree for the future, and the name of a hero preserved for an age to come. —George Barr McCutcheon.

Save Garden Surplus.

An example of the success brought about by co-operation is shown in a report received by the United States department of agriculture from Gila county, Arizona, where the local home demonstration agent and county agricultural agents united their efforts in developing methods for conserving \$81,200 worth of surplus products grown on more than 100 acres of irrigated land divided into one-eighth acre gardens. A co-operative marketing store was established near the gardens on the edge of town on the main traveled road. A community canning kitchen was also operated under the supervision of the home demonstration agent, no charge being made to the co-operating gardeners who wished to make use of it. This plan also presented an opportunity for teaching the most approved and economical methods of canning and drying.

Watches Made of Cannon.

War souvenirs in the shape of watches made from the steel of Belgian cannon which were in active service on the Belgian front since the beginning of the war in 1914 till October 29, 1917, are being manufactured in Switzerland by order of the king and queen of the Belgians.

The watches, which bear inset in gold on the cases the monogram "A E" of the Belgian sovereigns, are to be presented by King Albert and Queen Elizabeth to soldiers who have specially distinguished themselves and also to prize winners of military competitions.

Holds Receiver in Position.

Free use of both hands while telephoning is made possible by a wire device, lately invented, that holds the receiver in convenient operating position. The bracket is so constructed that it normally depresses the receiver hook. To release the latter a thumb-plece is pressed. The hook is drawn down and the bracket member moved in the opposite direction when one uses telephoning. The device is convenient for both home and office use, and especially in public telephone booths.



# Last Minute Buyers

Big Reductions, big savings on

Suits and Overcoats

give to pa, give to brother one  
of these overcoats of suits.

A visit to

The WALSH STORE

will put new zest in your shop-  
ping.

Read the prices and follow the  
Market Wise.

## EXTRA SPECIAL FINE SUITS AND OVERCOATS

KUPPENHEIMER, STEIN-BLOCH and GRIFFON MAKES

\$65.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	\$50.00
60.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	47.50
50.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	40.00
40.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	32.50
35.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	27.50
30.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	24.00
27.50 Suit or Overcoat cut to	22.00
25.00 Suit or Overcoat cut to	18.00

Your Last and Greatest Opportunity. Read every price and come to The WALSH Company's Cash Sale

**THE WALSH CO.**

Incorporated

HOME OF THE OVERCOAT

THIS IS NO FISH STORY

This story sounds very much fishy but every word of it is true. It was last week about Friday, that a gentleman, Mr. Stanley Anderson, went to the Traders National Bank with an amount of mutilated currency and deposited it to be forwarded to the U. S. Treasury Department for redemption. It was then that this story was made known. A covered yarn ball had been thrown about the home of Mr. James Braham for near seven years, was played with by children and more recently furnished sport for the pup and kitten, and on a morning of last week the puppy was having his fun with the ball and with it sprang into the lap of Mrs. Braham, who slapped him and pushed him to the floor. The pup continued in his playful mood and again tore off the covering and had made quite an amount of litter. The tidy housewife gathered the torn pieces, threw them into the fire and again was preparing to repair the ball, when a gold five dollar piece fell to the floor. This aroused Mrs. Braham's curiosity and from the ball she took out about forty five dollars in mutilated currency, and it was this treasure that Mr. Anderson had taken to the Traders National Bank for her.

Who thus secreted the money, and why and when, is a mystery.

FLU CLAIMS VICTIM

Relatives here have been advised of the death of Mr. Stephen B. Little, at his home near Lewisville, Ind., last week. Mr. Little was 26 years of age and is survived by his wife and one child. Deceased is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Little, of Winchester, two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Catron and Mrs. Millard Bryant, of Oklahoma, four brothers, Clay and R. M. Little, of Indiana and E. R. and Will E. Little of Lexington. Mr. Little formerly lived in this county and the news of his death will cause sorrow among his many friends.

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### CORRESPONDENCE

#### Stoops

Tobacco men are badly in need or a season.

Still a large amount of sickness in this section.

Len Roberson is visiting relatives in Lexington.

The passing of Col. Roosevelt leaves a place vacant in worldly affairs that cannot be filled. The maneuvering of "Teddy" in future years, will be sadly missed.

Mrs. Ed Carpenter, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving. Other members of Mr. Donaldson's family have been ill with influenza.

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the guest of his cousin, Sherman Hamilton last week.

The Germans seem to be fighting it out among themselves now. If each side would annihilate the other, Germany then would be a pretty good country.

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recovering from an attack of the influenza.

Same few from here attended Owingsville Court, Monday.

It seems as though the "flu" is never going to stop "flying."

When the weather permits, Rev. J. Tyler Davis, of Owingsville, will become pastor of Springfield church. Springfield has been without a pastor for some time. Mr. Davis is said to be an excellent preacher and is doing a wonderful work for the cause of Christianity.

Mrs. Ed Toy and children are visiting Mrs. Toy's parents, Jno. C. Trimble and wife in Fayette County.

#### Sewell Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Baber spent Sunday with their son, Mr. Clay Baber, and family.

Miss Muriel Bloomingfield, of Winchester, and Mr. Ed. Hedges, of Paris, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crutcher.

Miss Martha Jones has returned home after a most delightful visit with her cousin, Miss Douglas.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crutcher and Mr. James Davis and daughter, Miss Mattie, spent Friday in Lexington as guests of Mrs. Crutcher's parents Mr. and Mrs. Noah Rose.

Miss Nannie Mae Jones spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Margaret Davis.

Miss Mattie Davis is a pleasant guest of Mr. and Mrs. Larkin and LaVelle Watson, of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Baber spent

## GO TO PIEPER'S THIS WEEK AND GET A PHONOGRAPH FREE

## The Scrap Book

### AID TO SOLDIERS ON MARCH

Strap Fastened Tightly About Foot Said to Be Valuable for Prevention of Fatigue.

Bonnette (Presse Medicale) calls attention to the value of a strap fastened tightly about the foot to facilitate locomotion when the extremities are tired from prolonged marching and counter-marching. Under these conditions the plantar tissues say, the nerves are pressed and dragged upon



and the ligaments become tender. Immobilization of joints by means of the strap brings relief and permits the making of an additional effort to complete the march. The strap is passed in figure of eight fashion under the instep, in front of the foot and behind the ankle—over the shoe. This procedure has proved so effective that some have used the straps for preventive purposes to defer fatigue.

#### THE ARMISTICE.

And this was Germany—this puff of dust, This worn gray shoddy, and this iron rust!

This was the Germany where Goethe wrote.

Where Mendelssohn gave forth his golden note.

Where Schiller won our hearts with matchless word,

Where Wagner's greatest triumphs first were heard!

We loved you, when your poets nobly sang.

Of liberty—we heard the sabers clang These seventy years gone by—and when you hushed

The voice of liberty, and when you crushed

Those who dreamed high in 1848,

We welcomed them with open, wide-thrown gate.

"I fought mit Sigel"—and no braver word

Through all our ringing history has been heard!

Franz Sigel, soul of German freedom, you

Outlawed at home, received with us your due!

We loved you, Germany—and when you turned

Upon us like a tiger, and you spurned

A century's devotion—dazed, asthast,

We took the blow, and then we grimly massed

Our bannered legions to the direful task

Of tearing off the Hohenzollern mask.

And this was Germany! Our warriors pressed

Onward and forward, till the battle test

Showed that the eagle of the western wave

Conquers at will the abject, beaten slave!

And this was Germany—this puff of dust, tread

In sordid ranks above thy vanquished head—

The horror of thy work recolls at last

On thine own land, as when tempest blast,

Turned in mid course, sweeps murderous back,

Leaving a hideous welter in its track!

And this was Germany—this puff of dust, This worn gray shoddy, and this iron rust!

—W. A. Phelon, in Cincinnati Times-Star.

#### Kept Busy Saluting.

There are so many foreigners in

New York, wearing uniforms of all descriptions, that it is impossible to tell

who is who, but the "doughboys" and the men-o'-war men never fail to salute them.

One afternoon an American soldier with service stripes on his sleeve and an American sailor similarly distinguished turned the corner of

Thirty-fourth street and strolled down Park avenue in front of the Vanderbilt hotel.

At the same time a Hindu with head ornaentations and a gorgeous scarf surmounted by a feather turned the corner of Thirty-third street and started north.

The soldier and sailor passed the Hindu with the snappiest of salutes and then both turned around to watch him recede.

"What is he?" asked the sailor, "a general?" "Lord knows," answered the soldier.

They turned back on their course, saluted the gorgeously clad taxicab starter and continued on.

#### Edward's Opinion of William.

The late King Edward VII of England, according to the London Globe, thus sized up Kaiser Wilhelm: "That fellow is foolish enough and insane

enough to fight for the mastery of Europe, and to involve Great Britain among his enemies in the conflict, because he suffers from the delusion

that he understands the British people better than anyone else in Europe.

He is obsessed with the notion that, should he lose, he will always find

apologists and supporters among the leaders of British opinion."

#### Frightful.

Buck—Many papers are inviting suggestions as to what should be done with Bill Hohenzollern.

Wing—I have a great plan.

"What is it?"

"Invent some way of making him see himself as others see him."

#### Used to It.

"Gas attacks had no terrors for him."

"Why not?"

"He used to read people's gas meters before he joined the army."

#### Uncle Sam Doesn't Flatter.

The persons employed in Washington to make out passports for eager young ladies bound for Red Cross services in France must have soured dispositions. That is what a Kansas City girl says, and she has proof of it.

"She has a large mouth, a prominent nose and a yellow complexion," runs the official description on her passport, and now the girl says she doesn't know whether she wants to go to France or not.

#### A Serene Mind.

"Did you forgive Willie Blimmin for throwing a stone at you?" asked the solicitous mother.

"Oh, yes, mother," replied the angel-faced child. "I threw a stone much straighter than he did and now Willie has some forgiving to do to his ownself."

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"See how Bill's wife is stamping her foot at him for wearing out the carpet by not wiping his feet."

"Yes; those are regular thiefs stampa."

## LAND OF LOST CIVILIZATION

Abundant Proof That Africa Was at One Time Peopled by Races of High Intelligence.

Evidences are multiplying that Africa contains the secrets of a great civilization. At present it is partially a savage land, given over to savage animals and equally savage men, and it is difficult to conceive that in the mists of antiquity this continent was peopled by intelligent communities.

In the last century a great deal was learned about this dark continent, and the South African company did much to add to our store of knowledge.

The expedition of this company into Mashonaland, in search of gold, passed the wonderful ruins of Zimbabwe, nearly 200 miles due west of Sofala, on the Indian ocean.

They have been attributed to the Moors, the Phoenicians and the Persians, and it is said by the old chroniclers that there were inscriptions, which modern archeologists have set out to decipher.

These structures were reared of granite, hewn into small blocks a little larger than a brick, and put together without mortar. In all the walls are seen two or three courses of masonry, where the granite blocks are inserted in zigzag fashion.

There seems to be no doubt that they were erected as places of defense, and also for the smelting, storing and protection of gold, copper and other metals.

On removing a quantity of the surface rubbish inside, there was found what was evidently three large circular roasting floors, formed of burnt fireclay and slightly concave. There were also remains of slag, and other evidences that the place had been used for smelting metals.

It is certain that the last thing civilized men would expect to find in this region, where the natives belong to the lower stages of human development, are these great rock structures betokening the existence of a former civilization amid these wilds.

The natives have not even any tradition as to the origin of the ruins. There are many facts proving their great antiquity, and among them the circumstances that at one of the great ruins at Zimbabwe an ironwood tree, which was undoubtedly hundreds of years old, had risen through the wall and split it.

Watch for Tacks in Pie.

The question as to whether a person who finds a black tack in a pie of blueberry pie is entitled to recover damages from a restaurant company for gross negligence in not detecting the presence of the tack in the pie, has been passed on by the supreme court of Massachusetts in *Ask vs. Cliffs Dining Hall company*, in which the court ruled for the defendant and held that the plaintiff had failed to sustain the burden of proof in establishing either direct or inferential evidence of negligence. In pointing out the difficulties confronting the defendant in keeping stout black tacks out of its blueberry pie, the court said:

"The tack was very small. It was so tiny that it readily might have become imbedded in a blueberry. If so, its color and shape were such that it would naturally escape the most careful scrutiny. It might as readily have stuck into a blueberry before it came to the possession of the defendant as afterward. The carelessness of some person for whom the defendant in no way was responsible might have caused its presence in the pie. The maker of the basket, some previous owner of the berry, or some other third person, is as likely to have been the direct cause of the tack being in the pie as the defendant or those for whom conduct it is liable."

Beams Made of Redwood.

Wood is now rapidly supplanting steel beams in industrial plant construction, as may be seen in a large paper pulp mill which is now being erected. What are known as laminated wooden trusses are being put in by a Chicago construction company having the contract for the mill. The largest trusses used are 90 feet long, there being six of these, and the material is a redwood. There are 21 50-foot trusses and seven 64-foot trusses. Twenty thousand feet of the material is redwood and the remainder southern pine. The redwood is used in the part of the cut work that is directly above the big vats in the mill, this wood being considered more adaptable to stand the action of the steam from the vats.

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Great Assembly Cheer the Noted Educator and Adopt Stirring Resolutions Endorsing His Candidacy for Governor.

A great mass meeting was held at Bowling Green on Saturday, December 25th, to endorse the candidacy of Dr. H. H. Cherry for the Democratic nomination for Governor. It was an enthusiastic meeting, and one which showed that the people of his native county, among whom he has lived and worked all his life, appreciate his qualities of life and leadership.



Dr. H. H. CHERRY, Bowling Green.

and are back of his candidacy. Mr. Morgan Hughes, a fellow-townsman of Dr. Cherry, and a noted western Kentucky farmer, reported, as chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, the following resolutions, which were unanimously and enthusiastically adopted:

"The Democrats of Warren county, hailing from every precinct within her borders, in mass meeting assembled, do hereby confidently and enthusiastically command to the Democracy of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, the candidacy of H. H. Cherry, who seeks his party's nomination as its candidate for Governor, at the primary election to be held on August 2, 1912. Dr. Cherry was born and reared in Warren county, springing from a Christian family of hardy pioneers. Here he has spent his life. Here he has risen by his unaided efforts, from a humble farmer-lad to become the head of a great educational institution, in which the people everywhere feel a justified pride; and from here his influence for good has radiated throughout the entire State. Every forward-looking movement for the credit of the State and the welfare of the people has always had in

him an earnest and effective champion. Every moral issue which has risen has always found him on the right side. Every progressive measure which has been proposed, whether for governmental efficiency, educational expansion, agricultural betterment, or purity in politics, has always received his unfading support. He is an earnest and life-long Democrat, who has hitherto been content to be a worker in the ranks. His excellent ability, tried through years of experience, and tested by many difficulties, is of the highest order. Personally honest, politically incorruptible, trained in the difficult work of intelligent and effective leadership, he is eminently qualified to fill the office of Governor, with credit alike to himself and to the Commonwealth. We, his fellow-county men, earnestly endorse his candidacy, and confidently bespeak for him the generous support of every Democrat everywhere throughout the entire State."

Dr. Cherry has issued a progressive program. In his announcement he states that he submits his desires to the people, and under no circumstances will he be a candidate of any political faction. He stands for perfecting the tax and road laws; for organizing the finances of the State upon a sound, equitable and just basis; for economy and efficiency in all departments of State government; for the elimination of every useless job and all forms of waste; for local, State and National prohibition; for the right of suffrage for the women of the State equally with the men; for safeguarding and promoting the rights of the laboring man; for better rural schools; for better health conditions; for better health conditions; for all non-partisan judiciary; and, for the non-partisan management of charitable and penal institutions, free from all political influences. He also endorses reforms along other vital lines. He believes that capital should be encouraged to come within our borders; that labor should be secured and receive fair treatment and just compensation; that education should drive illiteracy from the State; that agriculture is the basis of our wealth and should be fostered and raised to the highest degree of efficiency. He declares that Kentucky needs more fields of alfalfa, more agricultural limestone, and other things, and less political bribe.

If you endorse this character of a man and the principles he advocates, Dr. Cherry would value your support, and if you feel like writing him, he would greatly appreciate hearing from you.

The self-reliant girl is the inspiration of the day. The girl who is free from affectation, who does not whine and wheedle, who scorns to advance in the opinions of others upon a highway of selfishness and dependence, is the most beautiful today. For, with freedom of thought and bravery of opinions, the self-reliant girl has the beauty of charac-

ter, and the most beautiful face in the world is made doubly beautiful by the indefinable, shining light of strong character. The girl who relies upon herself is apt to be the one who is well poised, who has beautiful expression of the eyes, who has magnetism playing over every feature of her face.

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### SHOULD NOT BE FORGOTTEN

Deeds of New England Man, If Truly Recorded, Are Surely Worth Note in History.

A correspondent in Buenos Aires—his letter is dated September 20—asks if we ever heard of "Captain Smylie," a historic figure on the Falkland Islands about forty years ago.

"Captain Smylie," he writes, "was at one time a New England whaler. His name is Smylie channel and Smylie town, which may be seen on the chart. He afterward became United States consul. Strange stories of his doings survive and are told on the Falkland Islands to this day. A late British governor of the islands collected some of the stories, but I cannot learn that they were published. One was to the effect that our state department decided to remove him from office and sent a successor, who, when he called to present his credentials and demand the seal, was kicked out by the captain. The United States government had flunked to send a warning to remove Smylie."

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A friend lately returned from the Falklands tells me that several of the old islanders vouch for the truth of these stories."

Does any one of our readers know anything about this restless captain, who as a humorist would have enjoyed the company of one Bowes, an English journalist, mentioned in Sutherland Edwards' "Recollections." This Bowes on a Paris boulevard once pinched a strange lady's leg and ran an old gentleman along the street for a considerable distance by the breech of the trousers and the scruff of the neck. He finally varied his amusements by a murder.—Philip Hale in Boston Herald.

### He Got His Car.

A Chinese general, with his seven wives and a small bodyguard, walked into the station at Hsibrh as the Vladivostok train was about to start and demanded accommodation for himself and party.

The Chinese-Eastern, although a joint Russian-Chinese property, is operated by the Russians in conjunction with the Siberian railway.

The Russian station master consulted his watch, shrugged, and said "Nilza," which is the Russian equivalent for "It can't be done." He explained that the train was full and it was ten years since.

Without further parley the general dispatched members of his bodyguard to hold the train. One man climbed into the locomotive and covered the engineman with a revolver. Others mounted guard on the car platforms.

Then the general ordered the stationmaster to procure a car "qui-qui," which is Chinese for "Instantly without any back talk," on pain of very serious consequences to himself.

Twenty minutes later the train pulled out with the Chinese general and his seven wives aboard in a spacious private car.

### Saloniki.

The city of Saloniki had in normal times a population of about 160,000 to 170,000. This has been increased to about 400,000 through the influx of refugees from Serbia, European Turkey, Bulgaria and that part of Greek Macedonia until recently in the hands of Bulgaria. During the last few years the character of the population has been steadily changing. The Greek element has more than doubled itself and at this time stands first in numbers. Turks, formerly the most numerous class, are now third in rank and are steadily decreasing. The Jewish population stands in second place and is the most important commercially. A mixture of Bulgars, Serbs and Roumanians and Russians make up the remainder of one of the most heterogeneous populations in the world. Differences of race, religion and customs tend to make the commercial developments of Saloniki slow.

### Bring on the Hearse.

In claiming draft exemption from the Bishopsgate (Eng.) medical board a munitions worker gave this remarkable catalogue of his ills:

One long, chronic liver complaint, no teeth, varicose and chalky gout, piles and chronic eczema, suffered pleurisy and pneumonia twice, rheumatic fever, inflammation of bowels twice, malaria and typhoid, ulcerated stomach several times, "colitis," eight years' acute asthma, several heart attacks and influenza.

### The Last Request.

Leader of Lynch Party in Far West—You got anything to say before we string you up?

The Condemned Man (apologetically)—If it ain't too much trouble I'd like to have you trim the end of the ope where it's frayed; it tickles me neck.—Ideas.

## A FAMILY MEDICINE

In Her Mother's Home, Says This Georgia Lady, Regarding Black-Draught, Relief From Headache, Malaria, Chills, Etc.

Ringgold, Ga.—Mrs. Chas. Gaston, of this place, writes: "I am a user of Thedford's Black-Draught; in fact, it was one of our family medicines. Also in my mother's home, when I was a child. When any of us children complained of headache, usually caused by constipation, she gave us a dose of Black-Draught, which would rectify the trouble. Often in the Spring, we would have malaria and chills, or troubles of this kind, we would take Black-Draught pretty regular until the liver acted well, and we would soon be up and around again. We would not be without it, for it certainly has saved us lots of doctor bills. Just a dose of Black-Draught when not so well saves a lot of days in bed."

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### REINSTATEMENT OF SOLDIERS AND SAILORS IN CIVIL SERVICE

Anticipating the time when men who left the Federal classified civil service to take up arms in defense of the country would be mustered out and, therefore, seeking employment, the United States Civil Service Commission recommended to the President that provision be made for the reinstatement in the civil service of such men. Accordingly, the President issued the following Executive Order dated July 18, 1918:

"A person leaving the classified civil service to engage in the military or naval service of the Government during the present war with Germany and who has been honorably discharged may be reinstated in the civil service at any time within five years after his discharge, provided that at the time of reinstatement he has the required fitness to perform the duties of the position to which reinstatement is sought."

It will be noted that under the terms of the Executive Order, a man who was separated from the civil establishment to take part in the war may be reinstated in a civil position within five years after his discharge from the military or naval service. It will further be noted that there is no restriction that a man must be reinstated in the particular position from which he was separated. Under the terms of the Executive Order, he may be reinstated anywhere in the civil service provided that at the time of reinstatement he has the required fitness to perform the duties of the position to which reinstatement is sought.

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One cake of Palm Olive Soap free next Thursday at the H. H. Pieper Co.'s Store with a purchase of 25¢ or more if you present this notice. Only one to a customer.

If you want to get the want you want to get, you want to put your want in the want columns of The Advocate—it pays. Try it when you have something to sell. Jack Owings—if you present this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theatre tomorrow (Jan. 15th) you will be given a free ticket to the show.

**SPECIALS THIS WEEK**  
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On Saturday January the 18th, at two o'clock on the Court House Square in Mt. Sterling, I will offer for sale at public auction a pair of good work mules. Prospective bidders may see same at any time at the Bank Street livery barn.

HENRY JUDY

#### FOR SALE

Baled hay and straw. John T. Woodford, Phone 139. 29-4t

Hat Sale—All hats, trimmed and untrimmed now selling at greatly reduced prices. Come and see me if you want a real bargain. Mrs. K. O. Clarke, 20 Broadway.

"Seed Oats"—Place your order now for first class Northern Seed Oats. Indian Creek Coal & Feed Co., W. P. Oldham, Mgr., Sycamore and Railroad. Phone 647.

Special sale White Ware all this week and Monday Court Day. Cups and Saucers \$1.00 set, Plates 75¢ per set.

REDMOND & ENOCH

Sale Bills—Let the Advocate print your sale bills. If Mr. R. C. Loyd will present this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theatre tomorrow (Jan. 15th) he will be presented with a free ticket to the show.

"Service that Satisfies"—That's the kind you receive when you send your laundry here. First class work, Prompt Service. Mt. Sterling Laundry, E. High St. Phone 15.

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Apply at the Advocate office. 20¢ writer can be bought at a bargain. Apply to the Advocate office. 20¢

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#### REMARKABLE CASE OF FEAR

Illustrating How Panic Will for a Time Unnerve Even Soldier of Proved Bravery.

A French Lieutenant of artillery, Pierre Jandrop, who distinguished himself at the battle of Verdun and was subsequently decorated with the croix de guerre for bravery in rescuing a comrade under fire, told the writer of a peculiar case of fear, which apparently was cowardice. It proved to be otherwise.

"I have studied psychology; I am interested in the how a man act under fire and I want to know the reason he act so," he prefaced.

"The shells burst here, there, all over; there was plenty of noise. A shell burst here (indicating a near-by spot on the floor) and a poilu put his hands up and ran away. That is funny," I say to me.

"I ran after him. 'What for you run?' I say. He do not answer. So I pull his hands down. His eyes are all white. He don't know me; he afraid all over. What you call him in English? Ah, yes, ze panic. He 'fraid, yes, but he are not a coward. No, he lose himself in ze noise. He what you call in ze funny papers. 'Nobody home,'" he laughed.

"It is ze noise," Jandrop resumed seriously. "He run away from ze noise; not from ze shell, ze bullets. No, no," he continued with an expressive flip of his hands. One hand held half a quota of fingers. "I say, 'Come wiz me, we go back.' We go back. And ze hoche, be suddenly stop ze shells. No more noise. But he commence wiz the machine gun. When ze large noise stop, ze man forget to be 'fraid, and he pump away at ze hoche wiz his rifle. He laugh and shout 'Pig' at ze hoche."

Apparently the man was afraid of the noise, not of death; for later he courted it, Jandrop said, by exposing himself to nitrate the fire of the hoche, who, when he fired, would be exposed, too.

Lieutenant Jandrop was the only one of nine officers to survive when an enemy shell dropped in the middle of their breakfast table. He was buried alive, dug out, and rushed to a hospital, where he remained for months, part of the time speechless, sightless and deaf from shell shock; he sustained three wounds in addition.—Eugene L. Harrison in Physical Culture.

#### Real Estate

Are you in the market for a modern downtown residence or Suburban home? If so, I have just what you want, anywhere from \$3000 to \$10,000. Or desirable farms at any size or price. I can also secure a loan for you to buy the farm at 5 1/2 per cent on long time, through the Federal Land Bank, of Louisville, Ky. Give me a call. T. Foster Rogers. Real Estate, Rentals, General Insurance. Loans and Surety Bonds.

Real Estate—There are many good opportunities to be found in real estate investments and it pays to watch this paper for these opportunities. If Mr. Frank Wyatt will present this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theatre tomorrow (Jan. 15th) he will be taking advantage of an opportunity to see a good show free.

#### For Sale—Farms

For Sale—10 acres of old Swetnam place, adjoining the lands of M. O. Cockrell, John Lockridge and Rufus Hadden, 1/2 mile from city limits. Good land, now in clover and timothy.

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#### HOW ABOUT SLIPPERS?

Mrs. Hove—Why are children so much worse than they used to be?

Mrs. Bee—I attribute it to the improved ideas in building.

Mrs. Hove—How so?

Mrs. Bee—Shingles are scarce and you can't spank a boy with a tin roof.—Awgwan.

Shingles and other building material, however, will be found in plenty and at most reasonable prices, too, at the McCormick Lumber Co., 34 South Queen street.

#### Personal

A handsome Phonograph will be given away free at the first show of the Tabb Theatre on next Saturday night. Call at H. H. Pieper Co.'s store this week for full particulars.

#### Farm Products

Highest Market Price paid for Poultry, Eggs, Hides, Furs, Rubber, Brass, Copper, Iron and Rings. We also buy junk automobiles. Thos. Heinrich & Son, South Queen street, Phone 819.

#### Lost and Found

Lost—When you lose an article, it will pay you to advertise in the classified columns of the Advocate. Mrs. S. D. Guy will find that she can see the show free if she will present this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theatre tomorrow (Jan. 15th).

Bunch of keys on streets of city. Finder please return to Advocate office.

You say that people don't read ads. Why, you and thousands of other people are reading this ad. this very day. It pays to read the classified ads. and it will pay Miss Flo Shirley to present this notice at the box office of the Tabb Theatre tomorrow (Jan. 15th) where she will be presented with a free ticket to the show.

#### Situations Wanted

Looking for a better job? Then invest a few cents in these columns and tell about your good points.

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# January Specials

We are determined to dispose of every Ladies' Coat, Suit and Dress in our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department. Therefore we have GREATLY REDUCED THE PRICES. Stout Suits and Coats are included in this sale.

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